Exhibit 5

U.S. Patent No. 8,190,610 Booking.com B.V.



Claim Chart for Representative Claim 1

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Upon information and belief, Booking.com has and continues to use a system for big data analytics (hereinafter, the "Booking.com System"), which is a system based on Apache Hadoop with Hive and Spark that includes the elements in the systems described in and/or practices the steps of the methods described in the claims of U.S. Patent No. 8,190,610 (the "'610 Patent").

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OVERVIEW



U.S. Patent No. 8,190,610



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(54)	MAPREDUCE FOR DISTRIBUTED
	DATARASE PROCESSING

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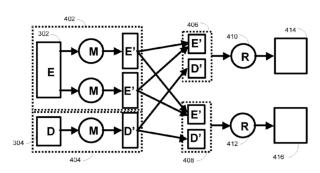
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ABSTRACT

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Representative Claim 1

- 1[pre] A method of processing data of a data set over a distributed system, wherein the data set comprises a plurality of data groups, the method comprising:
- partitioning the data of each one of the data groups into a plurality of data partitions that each have a plurality of key-value pairs and providing each data partition to a selected one of a plurality of mapping functions that are each user-configurable to independently output a plurality of lists of values for each of a set of keys found in such map function's corresponding data partition to form corresponding intermediate data for that data group and identifiable to that data group,
- wherein the data of a first data group has a different schema than the data of a second data group and the data of the first data group is mapped differently than the data of the second data group so that different lists of values are output for the corresponding different intermediate data, wherein the different schema and corresponding different intermediate data have a key in common; and
- reducing the intermediate data for the data groups to at least one output data group, including processing the intermediate data for each data group in a manner that is defined to correspond to that data group, so as to result in a merging of the corresponding different intermediate data based on the key in common,
- **1[d]** wherein the mapping and reducing operations are performed by a distributed system.

CLAIM CHART



Claim Chart — Claim 1

Claim Feature

1 [pre] A method of processing data of a data set over a distributed system, wherein the data set comprises a plurality of data groups, the method comprising:

Evidence

Booking.com infringes Claim 1 of the '610 Patent. The Booking.com System performs a method of processing data of a data set over a distributed system, wherein the data set comprises a plurality of data groups, the method comprising the steps discussed herein. The Booking.com System is based on Hadoop + Hive + Spark, which enables processing of data of a data set over a distributed system. For example, Booking.com employs, e.g., Hadoop/Hive/Spark developers:

[14] Booking.com Big Data Engineer:



Big Data Engineer

Manchester, Reino Unido

Booking.com · Full-time
Nov 2019 – Jun 2021 · 1 yr 8 mos

Successfully implemented a process to move data from HDFS to AWS S3 in <u>Spark</u> (Scala)

Maintenance and enhancing workflows and processes using Oozie, Sqoop, Impala and <u>Spark</u>

<u>Spark</u> Streaming improvements together with Kafka

[5] Booking.com Lead Data Engineer

Since Booking.com started facilitating bookings in 1996, the amount of data produced and consumed has increased in unimaginable proportions (20TB/day), certainly from the perspective of our founders. The last decade, open source data tools (Hive, Spark, Cassandra and Kafka) running on large internal server parks enabled hundreds of colleagues working closely with data to produce various data products, e.g. in Machine Learning and Analytics. As the community has grown, so have the number of challenges around working with data. Providing flexible compute resources introduced the onset of clouds in parallel to a heavily utilized on-premise environment. Governments introduce standards for personal data protection. A growing, physically disconnected employee-base is less able to share tribal knowledge regarding data finesses. Hence, the establishment of 'Enterprise Data Management', a group governing the production and consumption of data, for it to be trusted and understood.

The Lead Data Engineer is a technical leader who drives broad data engineering strategies and delivery across a business area. You will lead solution envisaging, technical designs, hands-on implementation as well as provide operational support across multiple data domains. You need to influence, differentiate, and guide the business and technology strategies in your area, as they relate to data, through constant interaction with various teams. You ask the right questions to the right people in order to align data strategy with commercial strategy, demonstrating deep technical expertise and broad business knowledge. You play an active role in identifying data engineering skill gaps within your area and support development of tools, materials, and training to bridge these gaps.

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Amsterdam, The Netherlands

Skills

- Kafka
- SparkScala
- Hadoop
- Python

1 [pre] A method of processing data of a data set over a distributed system, wherein the data set comprises a plurality of data groups, the method comprising:

Evidence

In another example, Booking.com employs, e.g., developers to implement Hadoop framework:

[15] Booking.com Data Application Engineer:

- 2+ years experience in management of bigger organisations (managing other managers)
- Experience with Big Data Technologies (<u>Hadoop, Hive, Spark</u>, Oozie, GCP, etc.), data warehouses with Oracle, MySQL, PostgreSQL, etc
- Demonstrated strength in SQL, data modelling, ETL development, and data warehousing
- Experience with large-scale data warehousing and analytics projects
- Experience mentoring and managing engineers on content, ensuring data engineering best practices are being followed
- Independent, pragmatic and pro-active work attitude

As a Manager Software Development, you are responsible for leading a group of teams who develop and manage our Big Data Infrastructure. The teams are running <u>Hadoop clusters</u> of couple of thousands machines and petabytes of data, making sure we deliver a first class platform to our internal users.

Evidence

1 [pre] A method of processing data of a data set over a distributed system, wherein the data set comprises a plurality of data groups, the method comprising:

The Booking.com System is based on Hadoop + Hive + Spark, which enables processing of data of a data set over a distributed system.

[10] Speed Up Your Queries with Hive LLAP Engine at 12:

Introducing Hive LLAP

- "Live Long and Process" or "Low Latency Analytical Processing"
 - · Not an execution engine (like Tez), LLAP simply enhances the Hive execution model
 - Built for fast guery response time against smaller data volumes
 - Allows concurrent execution of analytical workloads
- Intelligent memory caching for quick startup and data sharing
 - Caches most active data in RAM
 - Shared cache across clients
- Persistent server used to instantly execute queries
 - LLAP daemons are "always on"
 - Data passed to execution as it becomes ready



Claim Feature Evidence 1 [pre] A method of processing data of a data The Booking.com System is implemented over a distributed system: set over a distributed system, wherein the data set comprises a plurality of data groups, the method comprising: [1] An introduction to Apache Hadoop for big data at 2: The Apache Hadoop framework is composed of the following modules 1. Hadoop Common: contains libraries and utilities needed by other Hadoop modules 2. Hadoop Distributed File System (HDFS): a distributed file-system that stores data on the commodity machines, providing very high aggregate bandwidth across the cluster 3. Hadoop YARN: a resource-management platform responsible for managing compute resources in clusters and using them for scheduling of users' applications 4. Hadoop MapReduce: a programming model for large scale data processing All the modules in Hadoop are designed with a fundamental assumption that hardware failures (of individual machines, or racks of machines) are common and thus should be automatically handled in software by the framework. Apache Hadoop's MapReduce

The Booking.com System is implemented over a distributed system:

1 [pre] A method of processing data of a data set over a distributed system, wherein the data set comprises a plurality of data groups, the method comprising:

[11] Apache Hive:

Apache Hive is a data warehouse software project built on top of Apache Hadoop for providing data query and analysis.[3] Hive gives an SQL-like interface to query data stored in various databases and file systems that integrate with Hadoop. Traditional SQL queries must be implemented in the MapReduce Java API to execute SQL applications and queries over distributed data. Hive provides the necessary SQL abstraction to integrate SQL-like queries (HiveQL) into the underlying Java without the need to implement queries in the low-level Java API. Since most data warehousing applications work with SQL-based querying languages, Hive aids portability of SQL-based applications to Hadoop. [4] While initially developed by Facebook, Apache Hive is used and developed by other companies such as Netflix and the Financial Industry Regulatory Authority (FINRA). [5][6] Amazon maintains a software fork of Apache Hive included in Amazon Elastic MapReduce on Amazon Web Services.[7]

Evidence

1 [pre] A method of processing data of a data set over a distributed system, wherein the data set comprises a plurality of data groups, the method comprising:

Evidence

Booking.com collects a myriad of data groups from a variety of sources (e.g., websites, apps, transactions, third

parties, etc.):

[16] Booking.com Privacy Statement:

Booking.com collects and uses the info you provide us. When you make a Trip Reservation, you are (at a minimum) asked for your name and email address.

Depending on the Trip Reservation, we may also ask for your home address, telephone number, payment information, date of birth, current location (in the case of on-demand services), the names of the people traveling with you, and any preferences you might have for your Trip (such as dietary or accessibility requirements). In some cases, you may also be able to check-in online with the Trip Provider, for which we will ask you to share passport information or a driver's license and signatures.

If you need to get in touch with our customer service team, contact your Trip Provider through us, or reach out to us in a different way (such as social media or via a chatbot); we'll collect information from you there, too. This applies whether you are contacting us with feedback or asking for help using our services.

You might also be invited to write reviews to help inform others about the experiences you had on your Trip. When you write a review on the Booking.com platform, we'll collect any info you've included, along with your display name and avatar (if you choose one).

There are other instances where you'll provide us with information as well. For example, if you're browsing with your mobile device, you can decide to allow Booking.com to see <u>vour current location or grant us access to some contact details</u>. This helps us to give you the best possible service and experience by, for example, showing you our city guides, suggesting the nearest restaurants or attractions to your location, or making other recommendations.

If you create a user account, we'll also store your <u>personal settings</u>, <u>uploaded photos</u>, and <u>reviews of previous bookings</u>. This saved data can be used to help you plan and manage future Trip Reservations or benefit from other features only available to account holders, such as incentives or other benefits.

We may offer you referral programs or sweepstakes. Participating in these will involve providing us with relevant personal data.

Claim Feature Evidence

1 [pre] A method of processing data of a data set over a distributed system, wherein the data set comprises a plurality of data groups, the method comprising:

[13] Apache Spark FAQ at 1:

How does Spark relate to Apache Hadoop?

Spark is a fast and general processing engine compatible with Hadoop data. It can run in Hadoop clusters through YARN or Spark's standalone mode, and it can process data in HDFS, HBase, Cassandra, Hive, and any Hadoop InputFormat. It is designed to perform both batch processing (similar to MapReduce) and new workloads like streaming, interactive queries, and machine learning.

[17] RDD Programming Guide at 4, 2:

Resilient Distributed Datasets (RDDs)

Spark revolves around the concept of a resilient distributed dataset (RDD), which is a fault-tolerant collection of elements that can be operated on in parallel. There are two ways to create RDDs: <u>parallelizing</u> an existing collection in your driver program, or referencing a dataset in an external storage system, such as a shared filesystem, HDFS, HBase, or any data source offering a Hadoop InputFormat.

Overview

At a high level, every Spark application consists of a *driver program* that runs the user's main function and executes various *parallel operations* on a cluster. The main abstraction Spark provides is a *resilient distributed dataset* (RDD), which is a collection of elements partitioned across the nodes of the cluster that can be operated on in parallel. RDDs are created by starting with a file in the Hadoop file system (or any other Hadoop-supported file system), or an existing Scala collection in the driver program, and transforming it. Users may also ask Spark to *persist* an RDD in memory, allowing it to be reused efficiently across parallel operations. Finally, RDDs automatically recover from node failures.

1 [a] partitioning the data of each one of the data groups into a plurality of data partitions that each have a plurality of key-value pairs and providing each data partition to a selected one of a plurality of mapping functions that are each user-configurable to independently output a plurality of lists of values for each of a set of keys found in such map function's corresponding data partition to form corresponding intermediate data for that data group and identifiable to that data

group,

Evidence

The method performed by the Booking.com System includes partitioning the data of each one of the data groups into a plurality of data partitions that each have a plurality of key-value pairs and providing each data partition to a selected one of a plurality of mapping functions that are each user-configurable to independently output a plurality of lists of values for each of a set of keys found in such map function's corresponding data partition to form corresponding intermediate data for that data group and identifiable to that data group.

For example, in the Booking.com System's Hadoop MapReduce framework, the input data is partitioned into independent chunks (data partitions), which are processed by Mapper functions:

[2] MapReduce Tutorial at 2:

A MapReduce *job* usually splits the input data-set into independent chunks which are processed by the *map tasks* in a completely parallel manner. The framework sorts the outputs of the maps, which are then input to the *reduce tasks*. Typically both the input and the output of the job are stored in a file-system. The framework takes care of scheduling tasks, monitoring them and re-executes the failed tasks.

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The data partitions with key-value pairs are passed to user-configurable Mapper functions for further processing:

[4] HadoopMapReduce at 1:

As key-value pairs are read from the RecordReader they are passed to the configured Mapper. The user supplied Mapper does whatever it wants with the input pair and calls OutputCollector.collect with key-value pairs of its own choosing. The output it generates must use one key class and one value class. This is because the Map output will be written into a SequenceFile which has per-file type information and all the records must have the same type (use subclassing if you want to output different data structures). The Map input and output key-value pairs are not necessarily related typewise or in cardinality.

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The Mapper function maps the key-value pairs to form intermediate key-value pairs:

[2] MapReduce Tutorial at 7:

Mapper

Mapper maps input key/value pairs to a set of intermediate key/value pairs.

Maps are the individual tasks that transform input records into intermediate records. The transformed intermediate records do not need to be of the same type as the input records. A given input pair may map to zero or many output pairs.

1 [a] partitioning the data of each one of the data groups into a plurality of data partitions that each have a plurality of key-value pairs and providing each data partition to a selected one of a plurality of mapping functions that are each user-configurable to independently output a plurality of lists of values for each of a set of keys found in such map function's corresponding data partition to form corresponding intermediate data for that data group,

Evidence

With Spark, a data set is first partitioned into a plurality of elements and distributed across nodes. This distribution of elements is called a resilient distributed dataset (RDD):

[17] RDD Programming Guide at 2, 4, 5:

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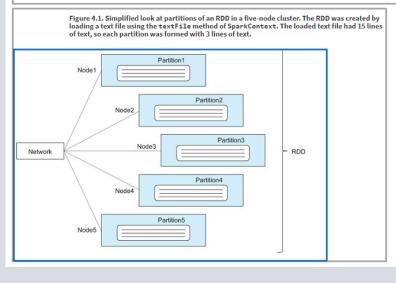
One important parameter for parallel collections is the number of partitions to cut the dataset into. Spark will run one task for each partition of the cluster. Typically you want 2-4 partitions for each CPU in your cluster. Normally, Spark tries to set the number of partitions automatically based on your cluster. However, you can also set it manually by passing it as a second parameter to parallelize (e.g. sc.parallelize(data, 10)). Note: some places in the code use the term slices (a synonym for partitions) to maintain backward compatibility.

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[12] Spark in Action:

Each part (piece or slice) of an RDD is called a *partition*. When you load a text file from your local filesystem into Spark, for example, the file's contents are split into partitions, which are evenly distributed to nodes in a cluster. More than one partition may end up on the same node. The sum of all those partitions forms your RDD. This is where the word *distributed* in *resilient distributed dataset* comes from. Figure 4.1 shows the distribution of lines of a text file loaded into an RDD in a five-node cluster. The original file had 15 lines of text, so each RDD partition was formed with 3 lines of text. Each RDD maintains a list of its partitions and an optional list of preferred locations for computing the partitions.

Evidence



Claim Feature 1 [a] partitioning the data of each one of the data groups into a plurality of data partitions that each have a plurality of key-value pairs and providing each data partition to a selected one of a plurality of mapping functions that are each user-configurable to independently output a plurality of lists of values for each of a set of keys found in such map function's corresponding data partition to form corresponding intermediate data for that data group,

Evidence

One form of the RDDs is a pair RDD, which includes key/value pairs:

[18] Learning Spark:

Spark provides special operations on RDDs containing key/value pairs. These RDDs are called pair RDDs. Pair RDDs are a useful building block in many programs, as they expose operations that allow you to act on each key in parallel or regroup data across the network. For example, pair RDDs have a reduceByKey() method that can aggregate data separately for each key, and a join() method that can merge two RDDs together by grouping elements with the same key. It is common to extract fields from an RDD (representing, for instance, an event time, customer ID, or other identifier) and use those fields as keys in pair RDD operations.

[12] Spark in Action:

4.1. WORKING WITH PAIR RDDS

Storing data as key-value pairs offers a simple, general, and extensible data model because each key-value pair can be stored independently and it's easy to add new types of keys and new types of values. This extensibility and simplicity have made this practice fundamental to several frameworks and applications. For example, many popular caching systems and NoSQL databases, such as memcached and Redis, are key-value stores. Hadoop's MapReduce also operates on key-value pairs (as you can see in appendix A).

Keys and values can be simple types such as integers and strings, as well as more-complex data structures. Data structures traditionally used to represent key-value pairs are associative arrays, also called dictionaries in Python and maps in Scala and Java.

In Spark, RDDs containing kev-value tuples are called pair RDDs. Although you don't have to use data in Spark in the form of key-value pairs (as you've seen in the previous chapters), pair RDDs are well suited (and indispensable) for many use cases. Having keys along with the data enables you to aggregate, sort, and join the data, as you'll soon see. But before doing any of that, the first step is to create a pair RDD, of course.

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Evidence

The RDDs support two types of data operations: transformations and actions.

[17] RDD Programming Guide at 6:

RDD Operations

RDDs support two types of operations: transformations, which create a new dataset from an existing one, and actions, which return a value to the driver program after running a computation on the dataset. For example, map is a transformation that passes each dataset element through a function and returns a new RDD representing the results. On the other hand, reduce is an action that aggregates all the elements of the RDD using some function and returns the final result to the driver program (although there is also a parallel reduceByKey that returns a distributed dataset).

All transformations in Spark are *lazy*, in that they do not compute their results right away. Instead, they just remember the transformations applied to some base dataset (e.g. a file). The transformations are only computed when an action requires a result to be returned to the driver program. This design enables Spark to run more efficiently. For example, we can realize that a dataset created through map will be used in a reduce and return only the result of the reduce to the driver, rather than the larger mapped dataset.

Claim Feature Evidence

1 [a] partitioning the data of each one of the data groups into a plurality of data partitions that each have a plurality of key-value pairs and providing each data partition to a selected one of a plurality of mapping functions that are each user-configurable to independently output a plurality of lists of values for each of a set of keys found in such map function's corresponding data partition to form corresponding intermediate data for that data group and identifiable to that data group,

Examples of transformation functions:

[17] RDD Programming Guide at 11–12:

Transformations &

The following table lists some of the common transformations supported by Spark. Refer to the RDD API doc (Scala, Java, Python, R) and pair RDD functions doc (Scala, Java) for details.

Transformation		Meaning
map(func)		Return a new distributed dataset formed by passing each element of the source through a function <i>func</i> .
filter(func)		Return a new dataset formed by selecting those elements of the source on which <i>func</i> returns true.
flatMap(func)		Similar to map, but each input item can be mapped to 0 or more output items (so <i>func</i> should return a Seq rather than a single iter
mapPartitions(func)		Similar to map, but runs separately on each partition (block) of th RDD, so <i>func</i> must be of type Iterator <t> => Iterator<u> when running on an RDD of type T.</u></t>
mapPartitionsWithIndex(func)		Similar to mapPartitions, but also provides <i>func</i> with an integer value representing the index of the partition, so <i>func</i> must be of type (Int, Iterator <t>) => Iterator<u> when running on an RDD of type T.</u></t>
Note: If yo over each IN Note: By different number of reduceByKey(func, [numPartitions]) When calle for each ke (V;V) => V. optional sea aggregateByKey(zeroValue)(seqOp, combOp, [numPartitions]) When calle for each ke Allows an additional search ke Allows and additional search ke (V;V) => V. optional search ke (V;V) => V. optio		ed on a dataset of (K, V) pairs, returns a dataset of (K, Iterable <v>) pairs, ou are grouping in order to perform an aggregation (such as a sum or average) key, using reduceByKey or aggregateByKey will yield much better performance. default, the level of parallelism in the output depends on the number of partitions RDD. You can pass an optional numPartitions argument to set a different tasks.</v>
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		ed on a dataset of (K, V) pairs, returns a dataset of (K, U) pairs where the values ey are aggregated using the given combine functions and a neutral "zero" value aggregated value type that is different than the input value type, while avoiding ary allocations. Like in groupByKey, the number of reduce tasks is configurable

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Evidence

The transformation operations include narrow and wide transformations. Wide transformations (also called "shuffle") operate on data from multiple partitions. Wide transformations include aggregateByKey, reduceByKey, etc.

[19] Spark RDD Transformations at 2–3:

RDD Transformation Types

There are two types are transformations.

Narrow Transformation

Narrow transformations are the result of map()
and filter()
functions and these compute data that
live on a single partition meaning there will not be
any data movement between partitions to execute
narrow transformations.

Functions such as map(), mapPartition(), flatMap(), filter(), union() are some examples of narrow transformation

Wider Transformation

Wider transformations are the result of groupByKey() and groupByKey() functions and these compute data that live on many partitions meaning there will be data movements between partitions to execute wider transformations. Since these shuffles the data, they also called shufflestransformations.

Functions such as groupByKey(), aggregateByKey(), aggregate(), join(), repartition() are some examples of a wider transformations.

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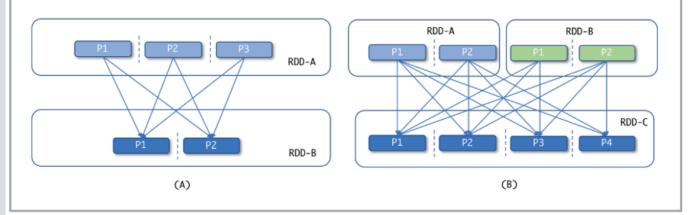
group,

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[20] Apache Spark Quick Start Guide:

Wide transformations

Wide transformations involve a shuffle of the data between the partitions. The <code>groupByKey()</code>, <code>reduceByKey()</code>, <code>join()</code>, <code>distinct()</code>, and <code>intersect()</code> are some examples of wide transformations. In the case of these transformations, the result will be computed using data from multiple partitions and thus requires a shuffle. Wide transformations are similar to the shuffle-and-sort phase of MapReduce. Let's understand the concept with the help of the following example:



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Evidence

When executing a shuffle transformation, a map task is first run on all data partitions.

[21] Spark SQL Shuffle Partitions:

What is Spark Shuffle?

Shuffling is a mechanism Spark uses to redistribute the data across different executors and even across machines. Spark shuffling triggers when we perform certain transformation operations like gropByKey(), reducebyKey(), join() on RDD and DataFrame.

When creating an RDD or DataFrame, Spark doesn't necessarily store the data for all keys in a partition since at the time of creation there is no way we can set the key for data set.

Hence, when we run the reduceByKey() operation to aggregate the data on keys, Spark does the following. needs to first run tasks to collect all the data from all partitions and

For example, when we perform reduceByKey() operation, Spark does the following

- Spark first runs map tasks on all partitions which groups all values for a single key.
- The results of the map tasks are kept in memory.
- . When results do not fit in memory, Spark stores the data into a disk.
- Spark shuffles the mapped data across partitions, some times it also stores the shuffled data into a disk for reuse when it needs to recalculate.
- Run the garbage collection
- Finally runs reduce tasks on each partition based on key.

Claim Feature Evidence

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[22] Apache Spark Map vs. FlatMap at 3-4:

i. Spark Map Transformation

A map is a transformation operation in **Apache Spark.** It applies to each element of **RDD** and it returns the result as new RDD. In the Map, operation developer can define his own custom business logic. The same logic will be applied to all the elements of RDD.

Spark Map function takes one element as input process it according to custom code (specified by the developer) and returns one element at a time. Map transforms an **RDD** of length N into another RDD of length N. The input and output RDDs will typically have the same number of records.

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When a mapping function is applied, intermediate files are created for that partition.

[12] Spark in Action:

4.2.2. Understanding and avoiding unnecessary shuffling

Physical movement of data between partitions is called *shuffling*. It occurs when data from multiple partitions needs to be combined in order to build partitions for a new RDD. When grouping elements by key, for example, <u>Spark needs to examine all of the RDD's partitions</u>, find elements with the same key, and then physically group them, thus forming new partitions.

To visualize what happens with partitions during a shuffle, we'll use the previous example with the <u>aggregateByKey transformation</u> (from section 4.1.2). The shuffle that occurs during that transformation is illustrated in figure 4.2.

The transform function puts all values of each key in a single partition (partitions P1 to P3) into a list. Spark then writes this data to intermediate files on each node. In the next phase, the merge function is called to merge lists from different partitions, but of the same key, into a single list for each key. The default partitioner (HashPartitioner) then kicks in and puts each key in its proper partition.

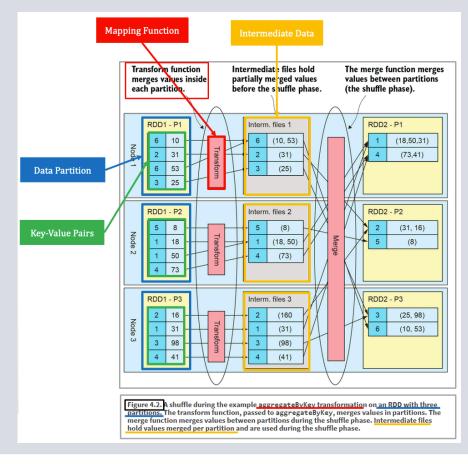
Tasks that immediately precede and follow the shuffle are called map and reduce tasks, respectively. The results of map tasks are written to intermediate files (often to the OS's filesystem cache only) and read by reduce tasks. In addition to being written to disk, the data is sent over the network, so it's important to try to minimize the number of shuffles during Spark jobs.

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In this example, the aggregateByKey transformation operation (shuffle) is performed on three exemplary partitions:

[12] Spark in Action:



1 [b] wherein the data of a first data group has a different schema than the data of a second data group and the data of the first data group is mapped differently than the data of the second data group so that different lists of values are output for the corresponding different intermediate data, wherein the different schema and corresponding different intermediate data

have a key in common; and

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In the Booking.com System, the data of a first data group has a different schema than the data of a second data group and the data of the first data group is mapped differently than the data of the second data group so that different lists of values are output for the corresponding different intermediate data, wherein the different schema and corresponding different intermediate data have a key in common. For example, the Schema class in Hive is defined for each data set. Thus, the data of a first data group can have a different schema than the data of a second data group.

[7]

Modifier and Type	Class and Description	
static class	SchemaFields The set of fields this struct contains, along with convenience methods for finding and manipulating them.	
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and

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Data partitions can be processed by using different user-configured Mappers:

[8] Hive Tutorial at 15:

<u>Users can also plug in their own custom mappers and reducers in the data stream by using features natively supported in the Hive language.</u> for example, in order to run a custom mapper script - map_script - and a custom reducer script - reduce_script - the user can issue the following command which uses the TRANSFORM clause to embed the mapper and the reducer scripts.

[4] HadoopMapReduce:

As key-value pairs are read from the RecordReader they are passed to the configured Mapper. The user supplied Mapper does whatever it wants with the input pair and calls OutputCollector.collect with key-value pairs of its own choosing. The output it generates must use one key class and one value class. This is because the Map output will be written into a SequenceFile which has per-file type information and all the records must have the same type (use subclassing if you want to output different data structures). The Map input and output key-value pairs are not necessarily related typewise or in cardinality.

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The Mapper function maps the key-value pairs to form intermediate key-value pairs. Similarly, different Mappers generate different intermediate results:

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[2] MapReduce Tutorial:

Mapper maps input key/value pairs to a set of intermediate key/value pairs.

Maps are the individual tasks that transform input records into intermediate records. The transformed intermediate records do not need to be of the same type as the input records. A given input pair may map to zero or many output pairs.

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A Hive JOIN query may be used to join two datasets that have a key in common:

[9] LanguageManual Joins:

Examples

Some salient points to consider when writing join queries are as follows:

Complex join expressions are allowed e.g.

```
SELECT a.* FROM a JOIN b ON (a.id = b.id)
```

SELECT a.* FROM a JOIN b ON (a.id = b.id AND a.department = b.department)

SELECT a.* FROM a LEFT OUTER JOIN b ON (a.id <> b.id)

Spark supports multiple types of structure data, each with its own schema.

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[18] Learning Spark:

Structured Data with Spark SQL

Evidence

Spark SQL is a component added in Spark 1.0 that is quickly becoming Spark's preferred way to work with structured and semistructured data. By structured data, we mean data that has a *schema*—that is, a consistent set of fields across data records. Spark SQL supports multiple structured data sources as input, and because it understands their schema, it can efficiently read only the fields you require from these data sources. We will cover Spark SQL in more detail in Chapter 9, but for now, we show how to use it to load data from a few common sources.

Apache Hive

One common structured data source on Hadoop is Apache Hive. Hive can store tables in a variety of formats, from plain text to column-oriented formats, inside HDFS or other storage systems. Spark SQL can load any table supported by Hive.

JSON

If you have JSON data with a consistent schema across records, Spark SQL can infer their schema and load this data as rows as well, making it very simple to pull out the fields you need. To load JSON data, first create a HiveContext as when using Hive. (No installation of Hive is needed in this case, though—that is, you don't need a hive-site.xml file.) Then use the HiveContext.jsonFile method to get an RDD of Row objects for the whole file. Apart from using the whole Row object, you can also register this RDD as a table and select specific fields from it. For example, suppose that we had a JSON file containing tweets in the format shown in Example 5-33, one per line.

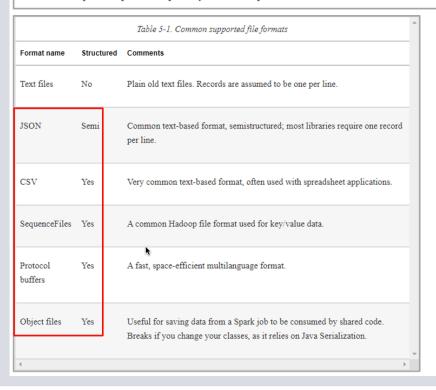
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[18] Learning Spark:

File Formats

Spark makes it very simple to load and save data in a large number of file formats. Formats range from unstructured, like text, to semistructured, like JSON, to structured, like SequenceFiles (see Table 5-1). The input formats that Spark wraps all transparently handle compressed formats based on the file extension.



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[13] Apache Spark FAQ at 1:

How does Spark relate to Apache Hadoop?

Spark is a fast and general processing engine compatible with Hadoop data. It can run in Hadoop clusters through YARN or Spark's standalone mode, and it can process data in HDFS, HBase, Cassandra, Hive, and any Hadoop InputFormat. It is designed to perform both batch processing (similar to MapReduce) and new workloads like streaming, interactive queries, and machine learning.

[23] LanguageManual Transform at 1:

Transform/Map-Reduce Syntax

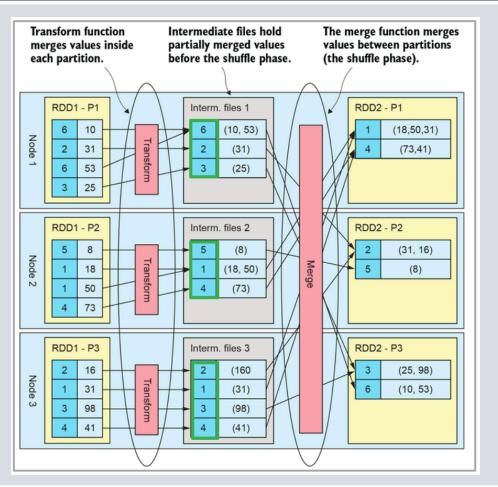
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[12] Spark in Action:





Claim Chart — Claim 1

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1 [c] reducing the intermediate data for the data groups to at least one output data group, including processing the intermediate data for each data group in a manner that is defined to correspond to that data group, so as to result in a merging of the corresponding different intermediate data based on the key in

common,

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The method performed by the Booking.com System includes reducing the intermediate data for the data groups to at least one output data group, including processing the intermediate data for each data group in a manner that is defined to correspond to that data group, so as to result in a merging of the corresponding different intermediate data based on the key in common.

The Reducer function reduces the intermediate values into a smaller set of values. This function operates in three phases: (1) Shuffle; (2) Sort; and (3) Reduce. The Shuffle and Sort phases operate on the output of various Mappers and group data before the final Reduce phase based on a common key.

[2] MapReduce Tutorial:

Reducer

Reducer reduces a set of intermediate values which share a key to a smaller set of values.

The number of reduces for the job is set by the user via Job.setNumReduceTasks(int).

Overall, Reducer implementations are passed the Job for the job via the Job.setReducerClass(Class) method and can override it to initialize themselves. The framework then calls reduce(WritableComparable, Iterable<Writable>, Context) method for each <key, (list of values)> pair in the grouped inputs. Applications can then override the cleanup(Context) method to perform any required cleanup.

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[3] Interface Reducer:

Reduces a set of intermediate values which share a key to a smaller set of values.

The number of Reducers for the job is set by the user via JobConf.setNumReduceTasks(int). Reducer implementations can access the JobConf for the job via the JobConfigurable.configure(JobConf) method and initialize themselves. Similarly they can use the Closeable.close() method for de-initialization.

Reducer has 3 primary phases:

1. Shuffle

Reducer is input the grouped output of a Mapper. In the phase the framework, for each Reducer, fetches the relevant partition of the output of all the Mappers, via HTTP.

2. Sort

The framework groups Reducer inputs by keys (since different Mappers may have output the same key) in this stage.

The shuffle and sort phases occur simultaneously i.e. while outputs are being fetched they are merged.

Secondary Sort

If equivalence rules for keys while grouping the intermediates are different from those for grouping keys before reduction, then one may specify a Comparator via JobConf.setOutputValueGroupingComparator(Class). Since JobConf.setOutputKeyComparatorClass(Class) can be used to control how intermediate keys are grouped, these can be used in conjunction to simulate secondary sort on values.

For example, say that you want to find duplicate web pages and tag them all with the url of the "best" known example. You would set up the job like:

- Map Input Key: url
- · Map Input Value: document
- . Map Output Key: document checksum, url pagerank
- . Map Output Value: url
- Partitioner: by checksum
- OutputKeyComparator: by checksum and then decreasing pagerank
- OutputValueGroupingComparator: by checksum

Reduce

In this phase the reduce(Object, Iterator, OutputCollector, Reporter) method is called for each <key, (list of values)> pair in the grouped inputs.

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The Reduce function operates on different sets of input data (intermediate data) that have a key in common. From this processing, the Reduce function populates an output file.

[3] Interface Reducer:

reduce

Reduces values for a given key.

The framework calls this method for each <key, (list of values)> pair in the grouped inputs. Output values must be of the same type as input values. Input keys must not be altered. The framework will reuse the key and value objects that are passed into the reduce, therefore the application should clone the objects they want to keep a copy of. In many cases, all values are combined into zero or one value.

Output pairs are collected with calls to OutputCollector.collect(Object,Object).

Applications can use the Reporter provided to report progress or just indicate that they are alive. In scenarios where the application takes a significant amount of time to process individual key/value pairs, this is crucial since the framework might assume that the task has timed-out and kill that task. The other way of avoiding this is to set mapreduce.task.timeout to a high-enough value (or even zero for no time-outs).

Parameters:

```
key - the key.

values - the list of values to reduce.

output - to collect keys and combined values

reporter - facility to report progress.
```

Throws:

IOException

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In Spark, the intermediate data is reduced to an output data group.

[21] Spark SQL Shuffle Partitions:

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- Run the garbage collection
- Finally runs reduce tasks on each partition based on key.

Claim Feature Evidence 1 [c] reducing the intermediate data for the **Spark in Action:** [12] data groups to at least one output data 4.2.2. Understanding and avoiding unnecessary shuffling group, including processing the intermediate data for each data group in Physical movement of data between partitions is called *shuffling*. It occurs when data from multiple a manner that is defined to correspond partitions needs to be combined in order to build partitions for a new RDD. When grouping elements to that data group, so as to result in a by key, for example, Spark needs to examine all of the RDD's partitions, find elements with the same merging of the corresponding different key, and then physically group them, thus forming new partitions. intermediate data based on the key in common, To visualize what happens with partitions during a shuffle, we'll use the previous example with the aggregateByKey transformation (from section 4.1.2). The shuffle that occurs during that transformation is illustrated in figure 4.2. The transform function puts all values of each key in a single partition (partitions P1 to P3) into a list. Spark then writes this data to intermediate files on each node. In the next phase, the merge function is called to merge lists from different partitions, but of the same key, into a single list for each key. The default partitioner (HashPartitioner) then kicks in and puts each key in its proper partition. Tasks that immediately precede and follow the shuffle are called *map* and *reduce* tasks, respectively. The results of map tasks are written to intermediate files (often to the OS's filesystem cache only) and read by reduce tasks. In addition to being written to disk, the data is sent over the network, so it's important to try to minimize the number of shuffles during Spark jobs.

Evidence **Claim Feature** 1 [c] reducing the intermediate data for the [12] **Spark in Action:** The merge function merges **Transform function** Intermediate files hold data groups to at least one output data partially merged values values between partitions merges values inside group, including processing the each partition. before the shuffle phase. (the shuffle phase). intermediate data for each data group in a manner that is defined to correspond RDD1 - P1 Interm, files 1 RDD2 - P1 to that data group, so as to result in a 10 (18,50,31)6 (10, 53)merging of the corresponding different 31 (73,41)intermediate data based on the key in 6 53 (25)common, 25 3 RDD1 - P2 Interm, files 2 RDD2 - P2 8 (31, 16)18 (18, 50)50 73 **RDD1 - P3** Interm. files 3 RDD2 - P3 16 (25, 98)(160 31 (31) (10, 53)98 (98)Figure 4.2. A shuffle during the example aggregateBvKev transformation on an RDD with three partitions. The transform function, passed to aggregateByKey, merges values in partitions. The merge function merges values between partitions during the shuffle phase. Intermediate files hold values merged per partition and are used during the shuffle phase.

Claim Chart — Claim 1

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1 [d] wherein the mapping and reducing operations are performed by a distributed system.	The mapping and reducing operations are performed by the Booking.com System, which is a distributed system. [1] An introduction to Apache Hadoop for big data:
	The Apache Hadoop framework is composed of the following modules 1. Hadoop Common: contains libraries and utilities needed by other Hadoop modules 2. Hadoop Distributed File System (HDFS): a distributed file-system that stores data on the commodity machines, providing very high aggregate bandwidth across the cluster 3. Hadoop YARN: a resource-management platform responsible for managing compute resources in clusters and using them for scheduling of users' applications 4. Hadoop MapReduce: a programming model for large scale data processing All the modules in Hadoop are designed with a fundamental assumption that hardware failures (of individual machines, or racks of machines) are common and thus should be automatically handled in software by the framework. Apache Hadoop's MapReduce
	automatically flatfactory and flatform. Apacific flatform



